









# SOUTH KENTUCKIAN.

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## SOCIALITIES.

Mrs. Philip Steeler is very sick.  
 Mrs. J. W. Pritchett is visiting in Crofton this week.  
 Mrs. L. B. Stine was visiting her mother, Mrs. Dr. Gish, last week.  
 Mr. Geo. E. Gary, of Bowling Green, was in the city Saturday.  
 Mr. D. A. Wall, late of Bellevue, has returned from Alabama.  
 Mr. R. L. Young, of Cadiz, was in the city on business, last Saturday.  
 Mrs. S. A. Young, of Henderson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. G. Sibree, Jr.

Miss Mae Barnett, of Cadiz, is visiting her friends, Miss Camille Martin.

Misses Madge and Fannie Fairchild are visiting friends in Bowling Green.

Miss Ella Mason, of Nicholasville, Ky., was the guest of Miss Rebecca Latham last week.

Mrs. John H. Milliken, of Franklin Ky., is visiting her mother Mrs. B. T. Underwood.

Messrs. J. J. C. M. Latham, and F. W. Dabney, returned from Dawson Friday.

Judge J. M. Dabney, county judge of Henderson county, passed through the city Thursday enroute to Cadiz to visit relatives.

Mrs. Pat Cook, of Paducah and her daughter, Corrie, passed through the city on Sunday, enroute to Bowling Springs.

Mrs. Walter Evans, of Washington D. C. and Mrs. Chas. A. White, of St. Louis, are visiting the family of Mr. Jno. B. Brown.

Mrs. S. G. Buckner, and little daughter Mattie, Miss, Clem Buckner, and Miss Mattie Buckner, went to Sebree Springs yesterday.

Dr. L. E. Alexander left for Grayson Springs last Saturday, whither he went to visit his father-in-law.

Mr. Smith Gaines knocked the bottom out of this town for a few days last week. "Selling" and Lou have added very much to the respectability of the population of Hopkinsville.

Miss Mary Beech, Miss Nina Dorch, and Miss Markleberry, of Clarksville, who are visiting Miss Mollie Radford at Longview, were in the city with the latter young lady one day last week.

Miss Lizzie Dabney, after an extended visit to friends in Hopkinsville, returned home last Friday, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Frank Dabney. Mr. Dabney returned to Hopkinsville on Saturday.

Miss Ermine Radford closed quite an interesting school at Holt Schoolhouse Thursday, June 14th. She and her sister, Miss Willie Radford, will soon leave for Hopkinsville, to spend the vacation with their parents and relatives.

The following Hopkinsville people went to Paducah Springs last week to spend some days: Mrs. M. E. Rodgers, Miss Jennie Brown, Mrs. Jno. D. Tyler, Miss Carrie Moore, Col. and Mrs. Jno. C. Day, Hon. Jas. Breathitt and Mr. J. R. Gant.

## JUNE WEDDINGS.

The following is a list of the parties to whom marriage licenses were issued during the month of June:

Percy Hart, Miss M. L. Smith, Wm. Jenkins, Miss Lizzie, C. M. Maschan, Miss L. Taylor, Jas. Nichols, Miss L. Wootley, A. H. Crawford, Miss Mary A. Clegg, Jno. W. Forester, Miss Susan McGee, W. A. Wilson, Miss Nellie P. Cook, Total 11

COLORED.

Jno. Dillard, Miss Cora Roberts, Forest Radford, Miss Jennie Thompson, William Johnson, Miss Lucy Hunt, Jno. Dulin, Miss Harriett Dulin, Simon G. Jones, Miss L. Lee Hooor, Jno. Campbell, Miss Susan McGee, Wm. Woodbridge, Miss Susan McGee, Geo. Griffey, Miss Abby Willis, Tom Tandy, Miss Ann Sherman, Miriam Smith, Miss Mary McGee, Henry West, Miss Mary McGee, Total 11

Combined total 22

"And still there's more to follow."

## New Postage Rates.

On and after October 1, 1883, letter postage will be uniform at two cents for letters in any part of the United States. On and after July 1, 1883, money orders for \$5 and under may be obtained for three cents. The order will be payable to bearer, and will be good for three months from date of issue; after that time the holder can get no value by applying to the department at Washington. On the same date, the date of money orders on all sums will be charged, and not exceeding \$10 be procurable for eight cents, and from that to \$100, the rate increasing up to 47 cents.

# HERE AND THERE.

W. F. Patton, Life Insurance.

July semi-annual settlements are ripe.

June apples are beginning to appear in the market.

Dr. Barker, the oculist, has gone to Princeton.

Come to town next Thursday and hear our next fireman speak.

Maria Gayce, wife of Alex. Gayce, col. of this city, died last Thursday.

Miss Lela Watkins, of Montgomery, is visiting Miss Lou Reed.

Raspberries are gone and black berries are not yet ripe. Who can imagine a worse state of affairs?

Well informed farmers estimate the wheat crop of this county at 60 per cent of the yield of 1882.

Hon. Wm. O. Bradley will speak here the 23rd inst. in the interest of the Republican State ticket.

The wife of Jas. Thomas, a well known colored man (formerly steward in the Central Hotel, which burned last fall) died last week.

The appearance of the Catholic church has been greatly improved outside and inside by new paint and other improvements.

Only three prisoners are now in the county jail, viz: Bill Hamel, for horse-stealing; Chas. Greenwade, col. for barn burning and Albert Reeves, col. for rape.

Mr. Eugene Wood, of the late firm of L. G. & E. Wood, proprietors of Eugene Mills, has resumed his business and will continue to grind for the public as heretofore.

The rivalry between the reaper agents will soon subside, as the wheat crop is about harvested. Two of them came to blows in a dispute one day last week, but friends intervened before any harm was done.

McCamy Doute & Co. have on hand a lot of first-class second hand buggies and rockaways, of their own make, which they will sell very low. Don't fail to call and see them. It will be to your interest.

We doubt if there is a place in the State of the same size as Hopkinsville that has as many elegant private vehicles. On pretty evenings when the ladies are out driving, the handsome carriages and buggies are unnumbered by the score.

Maj. J. O. Perrell has bought the southern half of Mr. Jos. Campbell's vacant lot on south Main street and will shortly build a residence upon it. The price paid for it was \$1,000 in cash. The lot is one of the handsomest and most desirably located ones in the city.

Maj. Jno. W. Breathitt, and Mr. Jno. W. Breathitt, Jr. have each bought a lot of the rear of the Casky property on Main street fronting on the side street. The lots adjoined are 80 by 150 feet. The price paid was \$250 each.

A picnic given at Remmetstown on the 21st ult. at the close of Miss Emma Walker's school, was a perfect success. There was a large attendance, a good dinner and good order throughout. Among them was Rev. W. A. Walker, of Evansville.

The opening ball at Sebree Springs will take place on Friday evening, July 6th. Extensive preparations have been made to make it a very grand affair. The hotel is conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Couch and they will spare no pains to make the occasion a pleasant one. Extension rates will be given by the L. & N. railroad to all who wish to attend and the tickets will be good from the 5th to the 9th.

"Company D" will give an entertainment at the skating rink to-night. They will charge 25 cents admission and 25 cents additional for the use of skates. One of the features of the entertainment will be a competitive drill to determine who will wear the company medal to Grayson this month. Refreshments will also be provided. The proceeds of the evening will be added to the sinking fund of the company to defray contingent expenses.

An alarm of fire was given one night last week about 12 o'clock, and it was found that the store of Mr. Hart, near the depot, was on fire on one side, having been fired by an incendiary. The fire was quickly extinguished, but the excitement kept up and half dressed men continued to arrive on the ground for half an hour afterwards. It was fortunate that the fire was discovered in time to be put out.

The State Grand Lodge of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows will meet in this city the first week in August and the State Grand Lodge of United Brothers of Friendship will also hold its annual session here the third week of the same month. These are the leading organizations of the colored people and a number of representative men of the colored race in the State are therefore expected.

Max Mendel who accidentally shot R. H. Lovier a few days since, while shooting at a negro whom he charged with stealing goods from John Mooney's store, was tried last week and fined \$50 and costs. Mr. Mendel, we understand, has agreed to defray the wounded man's expenses during the time he was unable to work and the doctor's bill, wages, etc., will make the affair cost him in the neighborhood of \$300. Mr. Lovier is able to resume his work now, having been laid up about three weeks. The injuries of the negro, who shot at Mendel, by Mendel's bullets, were not serious.

# SUNDAY HAPPENINGS.

Geo. Mitchell Drowned While Bathing in Wood's Mill Pond.

Ed. Jackson, col., drops dead.

Last Sunday afternoon about twenty boys and young men went to Wood's mill-pond, about a mile from town and went in bathing. The river at the place they went in is quite deep, with high, rocky banks. In one portion of the river is a deep hole, some twenty feet deep. The boys were amusing themselves swimming about in the river, when one of them, a youth named Geo. Mitchell, suddenly crumpled and lost the use of his legs when directly over the deep hole. He cried for help and struggled desperately with his arms, but his panic-stricken companions could do nothing for him, and he went down with his hands raised above his head and begging them to save him. One of them ventured near him, but could not help him, and narrowly escaped being dragged under in a death grip. The drowning occurred about 4 o'clock and it was not until 8 that the body was recovered. It was found, but it could not be raised until a fish hook was put on a pole and hooked in one of the feet, and the body pulled up in that way. It was found right where the young man sank. Young Mitchell was the only son and child of Mr. J. J. Mitchell and worked with his father in his blacksmith shop. He was a steady, industrious young man, popular with his companions. His grief-stricken parents have the sympathies of the entire community.

DEATH OF GEORGE DISEASE.

Ed. Jackson, a colored man, who had a small grocery near the fair grounds, dropped dead suddenly, of heart disease, Sunday afternoon. He had been sick for several days but had gotten well enough to be about and was thought to be out of danger.

MURDER AT CROFTON.

Wiley Johnson, col., shot Smith Stanley, col., at Crofton Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. They were engaged in an altercation about a debt, and Johnson suddenly drew a Smith & Wesson pistol and shot Stanley through the heart, killing him instantly. Johnson was tried yesterday before Jess, Myers and Brown, and was admitted to bail in the sum of \$500.

MARRIED.

GAINES-ADKINSON: At the residence of the bride's father, near Mrs. Freeborn, Tenn. at 8 o'clock a. m., Thursday June 28, 1883, Dr. R. W. Gaines of this city to Miss Sallie Adkinson. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. J. H. Warren, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

The bride's trip took the train immediately for the city arriving at 8:30 P. M. on the same day. Mr. Gaines is one of the leading physicians of Hopkinsville, having been a resident of this city for a number of years. His bride has been connected with Bethel Female College, as lady principal, for several sessions and she is a lady of exceptional intelligence and intellectual endowments and the bride groom is to be congratulated upon his good fortune in winning so estimable a companion. May they both find the future one prolonged season of perfect happiness is our earnest wish. They have taken rooms at Mrs. Danbar's boarding house on Nashville street.

WILGUS-COOK: At the residence of the bride's father, Dr. E. R. Cook, near this city, Thursday, June 28th, 1883, at 8:45 P. M., Mr. W. A. Wilgus to Miss Sallie P. Cook. No attendants. The wedding was very quiet, only a few relatives and intimate friends being present. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. E. L. Powell, of the Christian church, after which the party partook of an elegant supper. Mr. Wilgus is one of the publishers and proprietors of the South Kentuckian, and is a young gentleman of moral and industrious habits, upright principles, strict integrity and fine business qualities. He occupies a high position in both the social and business circles of the city.

His bride is a young lady of winning manners, rare intellectual endowments and many accomplishments, which render her one of the most attractive of those young ladies who have given to Christian county her reputation as the home of lovely and beautiful girls. They share the warmest congratulations of a large circle of friends. May happiness always attend them. They received quite a number of handsome and costly bridal presents.

Mr. H. F. Brown has shown us some of his canvas oil paintings, painted from photographs by the English process, on double convex glass, introduced into this country at the Centennial at Philadelphia. They are certainly fine and must be durable, as they are painted in oil and airtight. He is stopping at the European Hotel for a week or ten days and will teach those wishing to learn. Price for full instruction \$250, money not to be paid until the pupil is satisfied. He also paints pictures to order. Call and examine.

A large number of young ladies and gentlemen of this city went out to Longview last Friday evening to attend a dance at the residence of Mr. Radford. The dance was given in honor of several young ladies from Clarksville, who are the guests of Miss Mollie Radford and it was a very pleasant affair throughout. The dancing continued until a late hour and those who attended were unanimous in the verdict that the occasion

# TOBACCO NEWS.

Nelson & Jessup sold this week 48 hids. tobacco, as follows:

19 hids. of the and good leaf, \$10.25 to 10.00, 10.00, 9.25, 9.83, 9.50, 9.50, 9.30, 9.05, 9.03, 8.85, 8.70, 8.55, 8.30, 8.15, 8.05, 8.03, 8.00.

21 hids. common and medium leaf, \$7.75 to 6.50.

8 hids. lugs, \$6.55 to 4.85.

We sold this week for Mr. E. H. Fritz, of this county, 8 hids., at an average of 9.01. The lot contained 6 hids. of leaf, and 2 of lugs. We quote the market higher.

Sales by Buckner & Woodbridge June 27th and 28th, of 151 hids., as follows:

46 hids. medium to good leaf \$7.10 to 9.75.

54 hids. common and low mixed leaf, \$5.80 to 7.00.

26 hids. good lugs, \$4.75 to 5.10.

23 hids. common and trashy lugs, \$4.00 to 4.50.

Market rules strong and higher for all kinds, especially lugs and fat or German grades.

Sales by Wheeler, Mills & Co., for June, of 300 hids., as follows:

51 hids. leaf, \$9.85 to 7.25.

178 hids. medium and common leaf, \$1.50 to \$7.00.

68 hids. common to good, \$4.00 to 4.25.

The market has shown a gradual increase of strength during the month and at this date is firm with indications of a further advance, both lugs and leaf being quotable higher than a month ago. The indications at present are that not more than three-fourths of the crop will be planted this year.

Sales by Buckner & Woodbridge, June, 20th and 21st, 1883, 120 hids., as follows:

22 hids. medium to good leaf, \$7.20 to 9.00.

36 hids. common and low mixed leaf \$1.60 to 7.00.

26 hids. good lugs, \$4.75 to 5.80.

38 hids. common and trashy lugs, \$1.25 to 4.50.

4 hids. trash, \$3.00, 3.80, 4.15, 4.50.

Market uniform and regular. Closing strong and higher for lugs and fat kinds.

A correspondent of the Louisville Post at Washington says six separate and distinct charges have been preferred against Collector Crumbaugh, of this Revenue district. It is charged that distillers are on his bond; that he has not, null recently, been known as a Republican, and that he voted the Democratic State ticket—Evans excepted—in 1879 when he has appointed Milton Gant, a Democrat, to an important clerkship; that he has raised money from his subordinates to control county conventions; by promising them pecuniary employment; that he has had county convocations to recommend him for Secretary of the Navy, "a proceeding unprecedented, audacious, impudent and ridiculous, exciting the ridicule of both Republicans and their opponents; that he (Crumbaugh) has used official envelopes for private correspondence, without paying postage thereon, in violation of the laws and the warning printed on each envelope.

Maj. Crumbaugh, when approached by a reporter of the Owensboro Messenger and asked what he had to say about the charges, said:

"Nothing whatever, they are too contemptible to notice."

It remains to be seen whether or not anything will come of the charges. They are evidently gotten up in the interest of G. W. Jolly, an applicant for Crumbaugh's position.

Hon. John G. Carlisle has announced himself a candidate for United States Senator to succeed Senator Job. S. Williams. If a blue-grass or Central Kentucky man is to have the place, we would rather see Carlisle get it than any man in the State. Intellectually, Williams is no more to be compared to him than the phosphorescent appendage of a lightning bug is to the full moon.

The following significant paragraph appeared in the last issue of the Owen County News:

Col. Thomas L. Jones was here Monday and made a speech. All that is necessary for us to say, is that he did not come at the instance of the Democratic Central Committee of the State, nor to advance the cause of the State ticket.

At Harpford, Conn., the Rev. Dr. Parker, of the Congregationalist church, ministered to the South Baptist church, of which Rev. Mr. Everts is pastor, for the purpose of baptizing a number of children in the baptismal font, last Sunday. He had begun to administer the ordinance in the presence of a large number of spectators, when Rev. Mr. Everts arrived and attempted to stop it, which brought on high words and finally blows, and the two preachers engaged and fought desperately, until they fell into the baptismal font and each tried to drown the other. They were finally taken out unconscious, both of them almost drowned. The affair has scandalized the whole Christian community.

The Republicans of Minnesota have nominated the following ticket: Gov. Hubbard re-nominated; Lt. Governor, C. A. Gilman; Treasurer, Chas. Klutson; Attorney General, W. J. Frahm; Railroad Commissioner, J. H. Baker; Secretary of State, Fred Von Behunback.

The first ball of the season at Cerulean Springs will come off July 13th. Every effort will be made to insure its success in every respect.

# A Home-made Telephone.

To make a good and serviceable telephone, good from one farm house to another, only requires enough wire for two cigar boxes. First select your boxes, and make a hole about half an inch in diameter in the center of the bottom of each, and then place one in each of those you wish connect; then get five pounds of common iron stove pipe wire, make a loop in one end and put it through the hole in your cigar box and fasten it with a nail; then draw it tight to the other box, supporting it when necessary with a knot cord. You can easily run your line into the house by boring a hole through the glass. Supporting your boxes with slats nailed across the window, and your telephone is complete. The writer has one that is 200 yards long, and cost 45 cents, that will carry music when the organ is played 100 feet away in another room.—E. X.

If Catarrh has destroyed your sense of smelling and hearing, Hall's Catarrh cure will cure you. 75 cents per bottle. Druggist sell it.

Preston and Oliver Brown have been held without bail for the murder of Marshal Freeman, at Versailles.

The suit of Mrs. Deering vs. Sells Bros., grocers, and the Forbes Bros., builders, of this city, for damages in the celebrated bill-board case, in which J. R. Deering was killed, came to a conclusion Thursday. The verdict is for \$10,071 against defendants jointly. Appeals were moved for Friday. Should the Appellate Court sustain the verdict, the co-defendants will go to law to decide who shall pay the whole amount.

D. M. Aylesworth took too much chloroform and died in Louisville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Porter, Postmistress at Russellville, has won a law-suit in Texas by which she gains several thousand acres of valuable land in Llano, Limestone and Throckmorton counties, which property has been the subject of litigation in her family for 47 years.

Hon. Proctor Knott Thursday.

The banks will be closed to-morrow, the 4th.

The post office will be closed to-morrow from 10 till 5 o'clock.

Col. T. Z. Morrow, Republican candidate for Governor, spoke at the court house yesterday afternoon. We went to press too early to notice his address.

The "Lola Warl Combination," a dancing skeleton and "Punch and Judy" show, is holding forth at Gorman's late stand.

The post office of Era, in the northern part of Christian county, has been discontinued.

# SPECIAL LOCALS.

SMOKE, SMOKE, SMOKE.

H. C. & J. S. Amstutz's Celebrated

Warren L. Warren L. Warrel, a good cigar for sale by

Wilson & Galbreath.

"Bull of the Woods."

The original "Bull of the Woods," the best 5 cent cigar in the city, can be found at W. W. Radford's.

Young & Caldwell have just received a large consignment of the very best Roofing tin. Call and see them.

WHEAT!

I am now located at my old office in the warehouse of J. C. & J. K. Gant, where I will be prepared to BUY and ship Wheat. I will be glad to have the farmers call and see me before selling elsewhere.

Respectfully,

Wm. COWAN

Call on Young & Caldwell if you want roofing and guttering cheap they have first class tin and will do your work right.

Do you want the best Cigar sold in Hopkinsville? If so call at Radford's and get the "Bull of the Woods" It is unequalled by any other 5 cent cigar.

WHEAT.

R. A. Baker & Co. occupy Nelson & Jessup's warehouse, buy wheat, furnish bags to haul it, pay highest Market price. See us

# SPECIAL LOCALS.

Call for the "Bull of the Woods" Cigar at Radford's.

I desire to notify the public that I am still in business at my old stand on Spring street and will keep on hand a complete line of Saddlery and Harness. Repairing of all kinds done with neatness and dispatch for the cash, but the cash I must have. I have tried the credit system and know it will not work, nor can I work for it. So don't ask for time, but come and see me with the cash and I will sell you goods cheaper than anybody.

J. A. B. JOHNSON.

SOMETHING NEW.

I have just received a lot of fine liquors, among which is a brand of Brandy made from the rice and called Rice Brandy. I would like for those wishing anything in my line to call and try this Brandy as a flavor which cannot be excelled. Don't fail to Smoke the "Cherry Lip" Cigar.

O. S. STEVENS.

JAKE ARMSTRONG's orders for repairs on cook stoves are increasing at the rate of six a day, and he makes four or five families happy each day. During last week, in addition to the ladies already referred to in his advertisement, he would like for any one whose stove needs replacing with a new one to call and see what he has saved the following ladies: Mrs. N. B. Edmunds, Mrs. Hunter Wood, Mrs. Ephraim Payne, Mrs. Green, Mrs. H. A. Phelps, Mrs. Burba, Mrs. Thacker, Mrs. Eugene Wood and many others. His orders are accumulating so fast he will be compelled to start two more wagons so as to accommodate the country folks.

Democratic State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR, J. PROCTOR KNOTT, OF MADISON.

FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR, JAMES R. HINDMAN, OF ADAMS.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL, P. W. HARDIN, OF MERCER.

FOR JUDGE, FAYETTE HEWITT, OF HANBING.

FOR TREASURER, JAMES W. TATE, OF FRANKLIN.

FOR SEPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, JOSEPH DESHA PICKETT, OF FAYETTE.

FOR REGISTER OF LAND OFFICE, J. G. CECIL, OF PIKE.

FOR STATE SENATOR, AUSTIN PEAY, OF CHRISTIAN.

R. A. WEST has connected himself with the insurance firm of Campbell & Buckner, Hopkinsville, Ky., as solicitor of fire and life insurance, and would be pleased to have his friends of Christian county procure their insurance of him. Representing "Old Pacific" of Hartford; Northern Assurance, of London; Manufacturers, P. and M. Bond; Fireman's and Loan, of California; California of San Francisco.

\$50,000,000 of Insurance Capital.

After you have examined other Sowing Machines offered you by the various agents, look at the

NEW AMERICAN, NO. 7.

Hoozer & Overshiner's HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

We think it will require little or no argument to convince you of its superiority.

IT IS ALWAYS IN ORDER

and ready to sew from the finest to the heaviest fabric.

It Runs Easily.

Makes Very Little Noise.

Is Self-Threading.



